

## **Exhibit 9**

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Adrienne, this follows our conversation from Monday. I have confirmed with the Menocal attorneys that direct mail was not a component of the notice plan and that GEO did not insist on direct mail. Please confirm that this is your understanding as well. Once confirmed, does this change GEO's position re: direct mail in the *Nwauzor* case? -JW

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**EXTERNAL EMAIL**

Jamal,

It was nice meeting you in person yesterday. As we discussed, I will relay your message to GEO that if mailed notice is required, you will seek cost-shifting from the Court. I will let you know as soon as I hear back about whether that position changes my client's mind.

Additionally, we discussed holding the expert depositions in Seattle. I know you had discussed with Joan holding those on the 11th and 12th but those dates are a bit problematic for us. It looks like the 18th remains open on the discovery schedule. Would you be willing to reach out to the experts to find out if they can be deposed on the 18th? If so, we will notice both depositions for the morning and afternoon at your office. If not, we can discuss the best timing for those depositions.

Please let me know if you would like to get on a call to discuss.

Best,

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